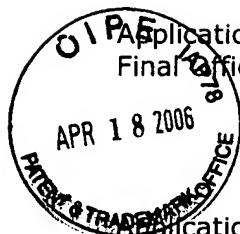


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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application No: 10/806,371  
Applicant: Louis A. Stilp  
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Title: COMMUNICATIONS ARCHITECTURE  
FOR A SECURITY NETWORK  
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Examiner: Donnie L. Crosland  
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116  
(Expedited Procedure)**

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Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, the applicant submits the following response to the Office Action dated March 31, 2006, which finally rejected claims 21-28 but allowed claims 1-20. The applicant requests that this response be entered to place the application in condition for allowance.

- ☒ **Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.
- ☒ **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.
- ☐ **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper and include enclosed replacement sheet(s). [Note: Amendments to the drawings must be explained in the remarks.]
- ☐ **Amendments to the Abstract** are on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper. A clean version of the Abstract is enclosed.
- ☒ **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.